

What's On in Cam, Dursley & District

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Spring 2020



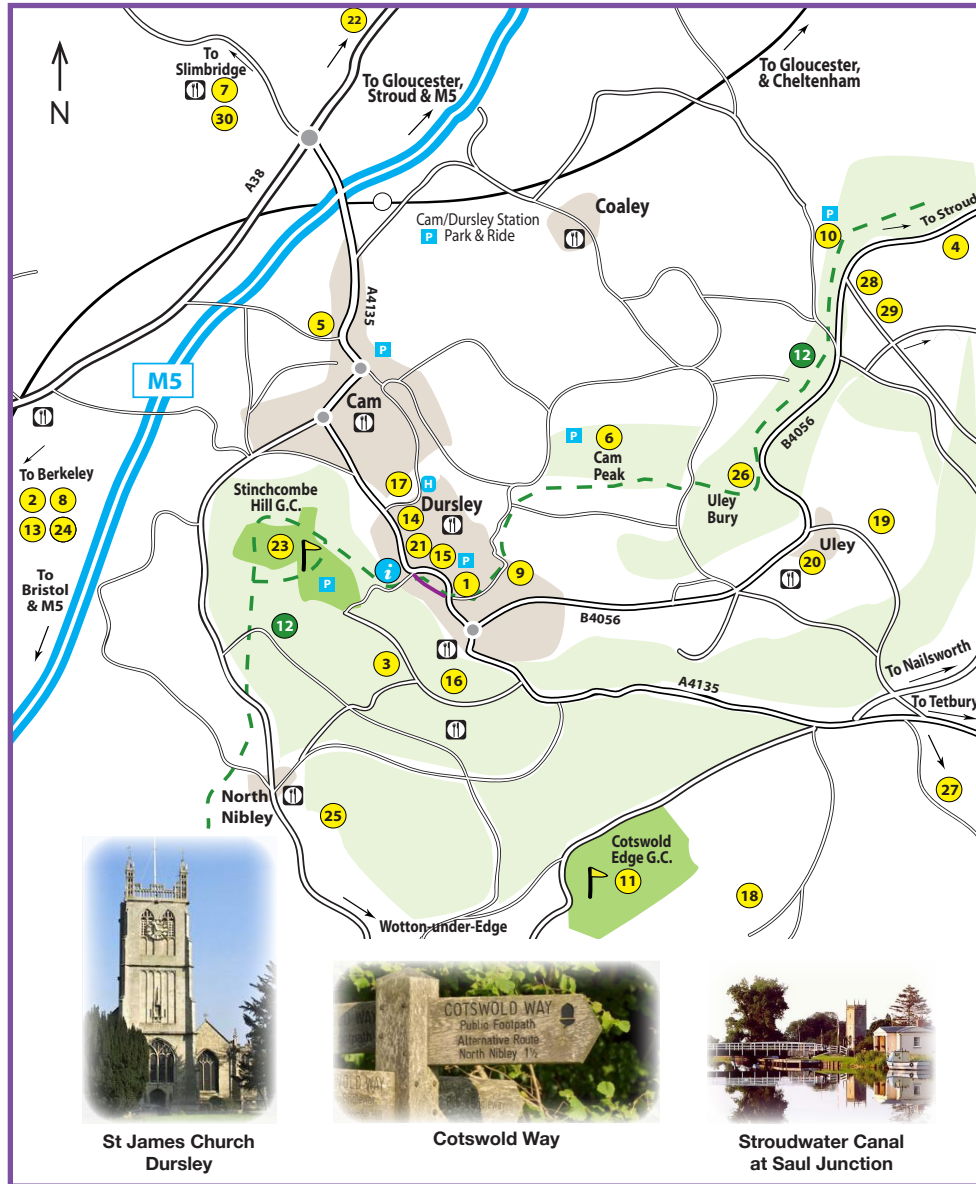
Get out and about this spring

Explore a variety of local visitor attractions and beauty spots.

See inside for tourist venues, pubs and restaurants,
events, sports and leisure activities.

Vale Vision Development Trust Ltd
www.valevision.org.uk

Information map of Dursley, Cam and District



PLACES TO VISIT

- 1 Dursley Heritage Centre** - 1,000 years of Dursley's history displayed in varied forms. Open: Tuesday to Saturday 10.30 - 12.30pm.
- 2 Berkeley Castle** - Norman fortress and home to the Berkeley family for centuries. See where Edward II was murdered and where Wolf Hall was filmed. Restaurant. Also a wonderful party and wedding venue. 01453 810303. www.berkeley-castle.com
- 3 Breakheart Quarry** - Acres of outstanding natural beauty with far reaching views towards the River Sever crossings and Tyndale Monument. Great for picnics, bird watching and fossil hunting with short walks suitable for all abilities. www.breakheart.org.uk
- 4 Bristol & Gloucestershire Gliding Club** - Modern clubhouse, extensive fleet and terrific views, a great site. Trial sessions. www.bggc.co.uk
- 5 Cam Jubilee Playing Field** - beautiful views; exercise or just relax. A great local facility with football pitches, skate park, ball court, climb stones, fitness kit, junior trim trail and perimeter path, easy access.
- 6 Cam Peak and Long Down** - Challenging walking and spectacular views.
- 7 Canalside at Shepherd's Patch: Gloucester – Sharpness Canal** - Waterside walking, eating, boating, paddle boarding and cycle hire near to WWT Slimbridge Wetland Centre.
- 8 Cattle Country Adventure Park** - 01453 810510. www.cattlecountry.co.uk
- 9 Chantry Centre & Lister Hall** - host to many local clubs and activities, shows, theatre productions, concerts etc. Incorporates Lister Hall, seating 300. Licensed bar. See Local Events page. www.chantrycentre.org
- 10 Coaley Peak** - nature reserve on the Cotswold Way: magnificent views. A favourite for walking, hang gliding, flying model aircraft or enjoying a picnic while watching the gliders.
- 11 Cotswold Edge Golf Club** - 01453 844167. Challenging golf in a picturesque situation. Friendly atmosphere and a welcoming club house. www.cotswoldedgegolfclub.co.uk
- 12 Cotswold Way National Trail** - Following the Stinchcombe Hill escarpment with fantastic views throughout, descending to the market town of Dursley and its range of shops, eating places and real-ale pubs. Check out local circular walks on www.nationaltrail.co.uk/cotswold
- 13 Dr Jenner's House** - Berkeley. 01453 810631. www.jennermuseum.com
Birthplace of vaccination: a history of Jenner's pioneering role with the world changing smallpox vaccination and his interests in ballooning and natural history. See Local Events page.
- 14 Dursley Sports Centre** - Range of activities: 01453 543832. www.stroud.gov.uk/dursleypool
- 15 Dursley's Fitness Centre "The Pulse"** - family swimming pool, new gym and studio. Wide range of health and fitness classes and activities. 01453 545441. www.pulsedursley.co.uk
- 16 Dursley's Woods and Sculpture Trail** - Acres of natural woodland on the slopes of the Cotswold escarpment, crossed by many paths. Twinberrow Wood includes the Dursley Sculpture & Play Trail (free entry). Interesting works by local groups and artists. GPS: 51°40'07 N / 2°20'53 W See website for information and Trail leaflet. www.valevision.org.uk
- 17 Kingshill Arts and Meeting Centre** - 01453 549133.
A centre for enthusiastic people in an historic and open environment with a sociable atmosphere, helping them to be informed and inspired. See www.kingshillhouse.org.uk or FB @theARTSCENTREofDursley



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- 18 Newark Park** - Ozleworth. National Trust house and gardens, 01453 842644.
www.nationaltrust.org.uk
- 19 Owlpen Manor** - 01453 860261 www.owlpen.com
Historic terraced gardens, working medieval kitchen garden, and woodland walks: Monday - Friday, April - September. Group tours of the Tudor manor house by prior arrangement.
- 20 Prema** - a small independent rural Arts Centre, Uley, 01453 860703. Café. Broad range of arts, dynamic live events. Forward-looking, quality creativity.
www.prema.org.uk
- 21 Recreation Ground** - An extensive and well used community green with play area.
- 22 Saul Junction** - Where the Gloucester to Sharpness Canal crosses the Stroudwater Canal. Heritage Centre, boat trips, marina, café.
www.gloucesterdocks.me.uk/canal.sauljunction
- 23 Stinchcombe Hill & Golf Club** - 01453 542015.
Excellent varied walking with breathtaking views over the Severn estuary and to the hills of Wales. Also a scenic and challenging golf course.
www.stinchcombegolfclub.com
- 24 Sustrans National Cycle Network Route 41** - Long distance cycle route between Bristol and Rugby, via Gloucester, Cheltenham and Stratford-upon-Avon.
www.sustrans.org.uk
- 25 Tyndale Monument** - 01453 543691. Erected in 1866 in memory of William Tyndale, translator of the bible into English. Open 24 hours a day, every day. Honesty box in the wall for donations.
- 26 Uley Bury** - One of the finest examples of an Iron Age promontory fort in Britain. Close by is Hetty Pegler's Tump, a communal burial mound dating back to the Neolithic period.
- 27 Westonbirt Arboretum** - the National Arboretum. One of the most spectacular collections of trees in the world. Restaurant and café.
www.forestry.gov.uk/westonbirt
- 28 Woodchester Mansion** - An abandoned gothic revival Mansion saved from dereliction. Hear the story of the mansion, experience the mystery of this unfinished masterpiece, said to be haunted. Teas, ices, shop. 01453 861541.
www.woodchestermansion.org.uk
- 29 Woodchester Valley** - National Trust. Beautiful secluded valley with a chain of lakes. Fine walks. Site of Special Scientific Interest.
www.nationaltrust.org.uk
- 30 WWT Slimbridge Wetland Centre** - Astounding array of wildlife and the world's largest collection of swans, geese and ducks. Award winning Visitors' Centre and the Water's Edge Restaurant. Daily from 9.30am.
www.wwt.org.uk/slimbridge



Library - 01453 543059. Opens at 9.30am Monday - Saturday.
Closing times: Mon - 5pm; Tues - 6.30pm; Weds - 2pm; Thurs - 5pm; Friday - 6.30pm; Sat - 4pm.
Citizens Advice Bureau CAB Freephone: 08088 000 510, Monday - Friday, 10am - 4pm.
Drop-in Mondays 10am - 1pm & Fridays, 10am - 12.00. By appointment Mondays 1.15 - 4pm.
The ground floor for Library Services, books, DVDs. Free Wi-fi. Meeting room available for hire.
Upstairs for **World Jungle**.



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LOCAL EVENTS



Churches Together: Walk of Witness Procession

Friday 10 April, 9am: from St Bartholomew's Church, Cam and Sainsbury's car park, Dursley.
Follow the 10ft teak cross being carried to the top of Cam Peak.

Dursley RNLI Five Peaks Walk

www.facebook.com/Dursley.RNLI.Five.Peaks.Walk

Sunday 19 April: a fundraising walk for the RNLI. Start any time after 9.30am from Cam Peak or Coaley Peak car park. Coaley Peak - Uley Bury - Downham (Smallpox) Hill - Cam Peak - Cam Long Down. Walk on public footpaths, part of the Cotswold Way, and visit the "Five Peaks" in 7 miles (11km).
For more details email: dursley.rnli@btinternet.com

BERKELEY

Dr Jenner's House 01453 810631

www.jennermuseum.com

Open from April until October from Sundays to Wednesdays, 11am - 5pm and some Fridays and Saturdays during school holidays, plus lots going on over Easter. Varied programme of workshops, talks, special events and other activities throughout the year; see website.
Learn something new and interesting and meet people from far and wide by joining the friendly team of volunteers who help to support this significant place in the history of world medicine.

Friends of Berkeley Castle 01453 810303

FB & www.berkeley-castle.com/friends

Small annual membership fee. Free admission to FoBC members on normal open days; tours and children's activities included. Discounts in the Yurt and in the Castle Shop. email: friends@berkeley-castle.com

Tuesday 21 April, 7 for 7.30pm; AGM, followed by talk **The Berkeley Estate 1698 -1810**, Jim Pimperl. £12.
Thursday 11 June, 2 for 2.30pm; talk by **Professor Mark Horton**. £12.
The Castle opens to the public again on Sunday 29 March 2020.

CAM

3C Community Church 01453 546775

www.3ccommunitychurch.org

All welcome - details of services and events on website; see advertisement inside back cover.
Children's activities, plus regular Alpha courses.
Senior citizens' **Lifeline Group**: Thursdays, 10 - 12noon; and 2 - 4pm with tea and craft activities.
Enquiries to 3C as above or email: admin@3ccommunitychurch.org

GL11 Community Hub 01453 548530

www.gl11.org.uk

A family friendly and accessible space: community café, educational courses, workshops, social groups and activities for adults & children. Training sessions including **Maths, English, Computer Skills** and **Job Search** support. Improve skills, develop confidence, volunteer or just make friends.
Messy Mondays: 10am - 11.30am, £1.50 per child (free for children under 3 months).
Family Fridays: 9.30am - 12.30pm, £3 per family, **Stay & Play** and lunch for all.

St Bartholomew's Church, Cam Pitch, Lower Cam

All events in the church. See inside back cover for church services.
Thursdays 5, 12, 19, 26 March & 2 April, from 12.30pm: **Lent Lunches**.
Thursdays 5, 12, 19, 26 March & 2 April, 7 - 8.30pm: Lent course, **Looking at The Pilgrim's Way**.
Saturday 16 May, 10am - 12noon: **Spring Fayre**, free entry.
Thursdays 12 March, 9 April, 14 May, 10.30 - 12 noon: **Coffee, Cake, & Company**, free entry.

COALEY - in the Village Hall

Tuesdays 7.30 - 9.30pm: **Coaley Art Club**; 01453 890338 or 547519 to check schedule.
Third Wednesday of the month, 7.30pm: **Coaley Women's Institute**.
For more information, email: coalewyi@hotmail.com
Sunday 3 May, 2pm: **Plant Swap and Sale**.



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DURSLEY

Chantry Centre & Lister Hall 01453 542016

www.chantrycentre.org

A centre for performing arts and sports activities See website and [FB](#).

Wednesdays & Saturdays, 10am - 12noon: **The Garden Group** help the 'Secret Garden' grow.

Thursdays: **Pop Up Soft Play & Bouncy Castle session** and **Toy Library** (term time only).

Friday 6 March, 8pm: Just Jive - Lindy Hop: **Swing & Jive Dance - Hawaii Five-0 theme**.

Friday 3 April, 8pm: Just Jive - Lindy Hop: **Live Band Night - Memphis Lee & The Creepers**.

Saturday 4 April: **Ceilidh** with the **Folk Camp Party Band & Sheena Masson**.

Friday 5 June, 8pm: Just Jive - Lindy Hop: **Live Band Night - Tequila Slammers**.

Saturdays 21 March, 18 April, 30 May: **Dursley DJ Collective - Club Night at The Chantry**. Free entry.

Monday 4 - Saturday 9 May: The DODS presents **Legally Blonde**.

Friday 22 & Saturday 23 May: **Dursley Male Voice Choir Annual Concert**.



Kingshill Arts & Meeting Centre, Kingshill Lane, Dursley 01453 549133

Saturday 28 March, 11am - 3pm: **Societies, Groups and Clubs Fair**. If you are looking for a new interest or hobby drop in and see what is going on.

Wed 27 May: **Multimedia Art Exhibition** on the theme of **Coast**; affordable art by local talented artists.

Sunday 31 May: **Discover the House Open Day**. See website for details.

[FB @theARTSCENTREofDursley](#)

Instagram: Kingshillhouse

www.kingshillhouse.org.uk

St James Church 01453 549280

www.dursleyparishchurch.org.uk

Saturday 7 March, 10.15am: **Coffee and Home-made Cakes**; 11am, **Longwell Green Orchestra**. Free.

Sunday 5 April: Come and Sing **Mozart's Requiem**. Rehearsals 3pm, performance 6.30pm.

Saturday 25 April, 11am: **Coffee, Cake and Music** with Matthew Redman, Glastonbury Parish Church.

Saturday 30 May, 11am: **Coffee, Cake and Music** with Jonathan Hope, Gloucester Cathedral.

SLIMBRIDGE

Second Wednesday of the month, 7.30pm: **Slimbridge Parish Women's Institute**. Visitors and new members welcome. Just go along, or for more information email: slimbridgeparishwi@gmail.com

Slimbridge Local History Society email: slimbridge.lhs@gmail.com

Wednesday 15 April, 7.30pm: **The English Civil War** by Professor Ronald Hutton.

Saturday 4 April, Slimbridge Gardening Club, **Spring Show**.

Saturday 16 May, Slimbridge Gardening Club, **Annual Plant Sale**.

Sat 9 & Sun 10 May, 10am - 5.30pm: **The Little Vintage Show**. Traditional village steam show with varied vehicle displays, arena events, children's activities. Supporting local charities.

www.slimbridgegc.plus.com

www.littlevintageshow.co.uk



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STINCHCOMBE

www.stinchcombehall.org.uk

See Village Hall website for regular classes: **Fit Fix**; **Pilates**; **Yoga** and **Zumba**. Also **Cam & Dursley Table Tennis Club** nights; **Dursley & District Flower Society** and **Stinchcombe History Society** meetings

ULEY, NYMPFIELD & OWLPEN

Uley Society meets in the Village Hall at 7.30pm. Visitors always welcome, £3 per meeting.

Annual membership (7 meetings) £12. Refreshments included. Contact Moya Wallis: 07719 880451.

19 March: **Marianne North: Victorian Artist and Traveller** (buried in Alderley).

Parish of Uley, with Owlpen and Nympsfield: Churches of St Giles, Holy Cross and St Bartholomew.

22 March, 4pm: **Taizé service**. For details of services and special events see

www.stgilesuley.org.uk

WOTTON-under-EDGE

www.wottonwalkingfestival.com

Thursday 14 May to Sunday 17 May, **Wotton Walking Festival**.

Free guided walks: from simple countryside strolls to themed walks exploring local history, wildlife and nature. Learn a new skill such as Nordic Walking or Mindful Photography. Something for everyone, including well-behaved dogs.

Schedule on website in April. [Facebook & Twitter: @WottonWalkingFestival](#)



YOUTH ACTIVITIES

BERKELEY - Youth Club, at Canon Park Football Pavilion, Station Road.

www.communitymas.co.uk

Term time only: Wednesdays, 4 - 6pm, ages 7 - 11 and 6 - 8pm, age 12 upwards.

email: lyam.galpin@communitymas.co.uk See [FB](#) and website.

CAM

Youth & Community Centre, Frederick Thomas Road: Weds, 4.30 - 6.30pm & Thurs, 3.30 - 5.30pm, all ages Y6 - 13. Days and times may change - check website.

www.thedoor.org

GL11 Community Hub, Fairmead (term time only):

Tuesdays, 4 - 6pm: **Adventure Play**. Play and structured activities for 6 - 9 year olds. £3. www.gl11.org.uk

DURSLEY ~ The Vibe, Parsonage Street: Mondays 3.30 - 5.30pm, Y6 - 8; Tuesdays 6 - 8pm, Y6 - 13;

Wednesdays 7 - 9pm, Y9 - 13; Fridays 6 - 8pm, Y6 - 13; last Saturday of month, 12 - 2pm, Y6 - 13.

Days and times may change, check website or [FB](#).

www.thedoor.org

Sundays, 6 - 8pm: term time - Tab Youth, ecumenical faith based, at The Vibe. email: el.irvine@sky.com

WOTTON-u-EDGE ~ Youth Centre: Mondays, 6 - 8pm; Thursdays 6 - 8pm; Fridays, 3 - 5pm.

More times on website.

www.thedoor.org

LOCAL CINEMAS

Electric Picture House, Wotton-under-Edge 01453 844601

New releases, world cinema, and theatre productions broadcast live via satellite from London and Stratford-upon-Avon; all available in Wotton-under-Edge's friendly and comfortable independent cinema.

Film information line: 01453 844401.

www.wottoncinema.com

Vue Cinemas, Merrywalks, Stroud 0871 220 600

Six screens, daytime and family discounts, students / senior citizens concessions.

Programme and on-line booking:

www.myvue.com

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EATING & DRINKING



The Bakery Coffee Shop, 29 Parsonage St, Dursley 07986 505424

Relax and enjoy great coffee, home-made cakes and fresh goods from the bakery: big breakfasts, homemade soups, filled baguettes, sandwiches, sourdough paninis, wraps, jacket potatoes, and a variety of hot and cold pasties. Excellent customer service, sensible prices, in the heart of town. Seating inside and out. Monday to Saturday 8.30am - 3pm.



80 Parsonage St, Dursley 01453 543920

Open 7 days. Right in the heart of Dursley; a place with an ethos of offering honest home cooked food using great local suppliers such as Cam Family

Butchers. Enjoy delicious frothy coffee, big breakfasts, loaded paninis, thick stews, creamy soups and sumptuous homemade cakes. Gluten free; child and dog friendly. Free Wi-fi.

www.bankcafe.uk

Belle's Kitchen, Silver St, Dursley 01453 549962 www.belleskitchendursley.co.uk

Enjoy a cosy relaxing cafe with a 'home away from home' feel. Join us for brunch, lunch, cakes, afternoon tea, private parties or an after work cocktail. The evening menu changes monthly, and everything is made in-house with locally sourced ingredients. Vegan and vegetarian friendly.

Find us on social media, call or email us to book today email: enquiries@belleskitchendursley.co.uk

The Black Shed, Shepherd's Patch, GL2 7BP 01453 890609

Spacious café and bar with outside seating by the canal. Local produce, home cooked.

Open 9am for breakfast and 12noon for lunch. Sundays: traditional carvery; Fridays: Live music with local musicians and Fish & Chip supper; Wednesdays: bingo evening. Browse through arts and crafts and relax in the snug with a good cuppa. For the more energetic, hire a boat or bicycle or join the paddle boarders.

For events calendar see: [FB @theblackshed](#) or email: theblackshedslimbridge@gmail.com



Froffy Coffee, Cam GL11 5PS 01453 547595 www.froffycoffee.co.uk

Whether you are looking for a cosy place to enjoy coffee with friends, an afternoon tea or something more filling, the varied menu provides choices for everyone. Quality full English breakfasts all day, soups, paninis, pancakes, omelettes and more as well as fresh home made cakes and pastries. Kids' menu, and vegetarian and gluten free diets catered for.

Froffy Coffee also offers a perfect venue for special occasions. e: info@froffycoffee.co.uk

The Old Crown, The Green, Uley 01453 860502

www.theoldcrownuley.co.uk

Situated on the village green, a traditional family run country pub, open all day, serving five real ales, including two from the local Uley Brewery. Beer garden.

Bed and breakfast also available. Home cooked food: lunchtime and evening menu served 12 - 2pm and 6 - 9pm, Monday - Friday and all day at weekends.



EATING & DRINKING



The Old Fox, The Street, Coaley 01453 890905

www.oldfoxatcoaley.co.uk

Good 'old fashioned' hospitality in a proper village free-house serving a wide range of cask ales from local and regional independent brewers. Freshly cooked food, with menus designed around seasonal produce, sourced within Gloucestershire. Dog friendly, parking, bike racks, live music and pub games.

See website for events.

email: enquiries@oldfoxatcoaley.co.uk

The Old Spot, Hill Road, Dursley 01453 542870

Country pub on the Cotswold Way. CAMRA award winning traditional hostelry serving a wide range of local and other beers and featuring a variety of guest ales. Great food, home cooked to order, served Monday to Saturday 12 - 3pm & Sundays at 12noon and 2.15 - 4pm (booking recommended). Occasional live music and fine dining evenings. Picturesque refurbished garden. Dog friendly. Parties up to 30 people catered for.

See [FB](#) and www.oldspotinn.co.uk



Prince of Wales Hotel, GL13 9HD 01453 810474

email: gm.pow@shearings.com

Food served daily. Seasonal bar menu; home cooked local produce and real ale. Sunday carvery. Families welcome. Free Wi-fi. Lovely garden and patio area for outside dining. Seasonal special offers and loyalty card. Conference, banqueting and function facilities. Between Dursley and Berkeley on the A38.

www.bayhotels.co.uk/our-hotels/bay-prince-of-wales

The Tudor Arms, Slimbridge 01453 890306

CAMRA award winning family run Real Ale and Real Food pub. Food served all day 12noon - 9pm.

Outside dining areas, traditional Sunday roasts, skittle alley, function room.

Catering for birthdays, christenings, anniversaries and wakes. See ad on back cover.

email: enquiries@thetudorarms.co.uk

www.thetudorarms.co.uk

The Vestry, South Street, Uley 01453 861177

Bistro style licensed café, serving locally based premium extract coffee, selection of teas, scrumptious homemade cakes, gluten free always available; breakfasts, toasted sandwiches, soups, salads, our signature hashes and daily specials. Local suppliers. Garden.

Family and dog friendly; free Wi-fi. In the heart of Prema Arts Centre; bar open for Prema events.

email: vestryatprema@outlook.com

www.prema.org.uk

Ye Olde Dursley Hotel, Long Street, 01453 542821

Families welcome. Home cooked food served all day 10am - 9pm. Free Wi-fi.

Function room available. Big screen sports; beer garden and patio.

Free car park at rear. Bed & breakfast, en-suite rooms.

email: yeoldedursley@outlook.com

Also Capone's NightClub 07753 487252. [FB @CaponesTheLoft](#).



SPECIALIST SHOPPING



Visit Dursley town centre for a range of independent specialist shops selling a wide variety of goods: local meat, locally baked bread, gifts, crafts, cameras, hardware, bicycles and accessories and more.

Relax in one of many cafés, pubs and restaurants.

Free 3 hour parking in the town centre.

Dursley Market Place

Second Saturday of the month: Specialist **Farmers' Market** with regular stalls, and upstairs in the Market House for tea, coffee and excellent homemade cakes, in aid of the Market House.

Other occasional markets during the week with varied suppliers: clothing for all the family, crafts, foodstuffs, homewares, fresh Grimsby fish.



Durcan Hardware (est. 1957) 48 Parsonage St 01453 542302

Family owned Dursley centre for hardware, ironmongery, tools, garden requisites, key cutting, paints and cookware. Two floors of everything you need for the home, garden and DIY - do ask if you can't see what you're looking for. 'The light bulb centre' has an extensive range of high quality lightbulbs. Member of Home Hardware - see flyers for great offers. www.durcansdursleyhardware.co.uk

Hewitt's, 74 Parsonage Street 01453 542157

A family run traditional sweet shop, selling a large range of all your old favourites for young and old alike - from boxes of luxury chocolates to sweet treats sold loose from jars. Locally produced Winstones ice cream, a variety of sugar free sweets, magazines, drinks, snacks and freshly cut sandwiches are also available.



Inches, 39 Parsonage Street 01453 545644

www.inchesfabrics.co.uk



Open Monday to Saturday. Everything for sewing and knitting: fabrics for dressmaking, patchwork and projects; knitting yarns, pins and patterns; ribbons and a wide range of haberdashery; felt for crafts; DMC stranded cottons. Sewing machine repairs. Sewing and knitting lessons also available on Mondays, 6.30 - 9.30pm, Tyndale Centre: **Make Space**, see website.

Tolsey Two, 45 Parsonage Street 01453 548145

Discover a shop bursting with inspirational gift ideas, including locally crafted jewellery and gifts. Beautiful scarves from £4.99, stunning sterling silver and costume jewellery, toys, art cards, frames, ceramics, candles and so much more. Gift vouchers available.

Open Monday to Friday 9am - 5.30pm; Saturday 9am - 5pm.

www.tolseytwo.co.uk



ROOM HIRE

Ashmead Village Hall, Cam Green, Dursley 01453 543779

A great venue for family celebrations, children's parties, meetings, hobby classes etc. Main hall with stage, well equipped kitchen, disabled access & toilet. Seating capacity 60. Very reasonable hire rates.

For more information on bookings phone Allan/Chris Norris as above or email: a.norris623@btinternet.com

Cam Community Resource Centre, Noel Lee Way 01453 548884

In village centre, large meeting room, with hearing loop, seating up to forty, and a small informal meeting room for up to 6 people. Projector and screen available. Kitchen facilities. email: admin@camparishcouncil.gov.uk

The Chantry Centre & Lister Hall, Long Street, Dursley 01453 542016

The 300 capacity Lister Hall with stage and retractable tiered seating along with licensed bars, skittle alley and various sized function rooms are all available to hire at a reasonable price. Also offering a **wedding package & popular Bouncy Castle & Soft Play parties**. email: info@chantrycentre.org www.chantrycentre.org

Coaley Village Hall 01453 890788

www.coaleyvillagehall.org.uk

The main hall, seating 120, has a stage and bar area and large projector screen.

Smaller room seating 30 also available. The hall has a well equipped kitchen. In a rural location with parking.

Suitable for all family and business functions. Disabled access. Booking clerk as above.

Country Meeting Room at Waterend Farm, Coaley 01453 899141

A lovely rural venue for business meetings and family events. On-site parking. Excellent on-site catering.

Popular, private venue for family parties. Facilities for the disabled.

Also, five bedroom en-suite **farmhouse B&B** - a taste of the country on a working sheep farm.

email: enquiries@waterendfarm.co.uk

www.waterendfarm.co.uk

Kingshill House, Kingshill Lane, Dursley 01453 549133

Georgian Grade II listed: impressive venue offering flexible accommodation for weekday conference and business meetings. Projector, flip-charts, Wi-fi available. Various room sizes seating up to 70. Ample on-site parking, garden, licensed bar, well-equipped kitchen. Phone or see website.

www.kingshillhouse.org.uk

Slimbridge Village Hall

01453 890690

Good venue for a variety of functions. Two rooms: one with max. capacity of 90 and stage with theatre style lighting and modern audio visual system; smaller room with max. capacity of 50.

Modern comfortable seating, well equipped kitchen, disabled access and facilities, with car park at rear.

For further information please phone or email Judy at enquiries@slimbridgevillagehall.org.uk

Stinchcombe Village Hall Margaret Wannell 01453 546200

Great venue for family celebrations, receptions, meetings, children's parties and barbecues in the garden with great views. Main hall with stage. Kitchen, disabled toilet, disabled access and baby changing facility. Speaker system and hearing loop. Also separate meeting room with own access, kitchen and toilet.

New extended car park with additional spaces. See **FB** and website.

www.stinchcombehall.org.uk



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ARTS & LEISURE

Cam, Dursley and District U3A

THE THIRD AGE TRUST



THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

www.u3asites.org.uk/cam-dursley

Meetings held on the third Thursday of each month, 10.30am, at Dursley Methodist Church, with a speaker, refreshments, and the chance to find out more about the various interest groups, including: **Historic Places, Theatre, Bridge, Walking, Science & Engineering, Table Tennis, French, Local Flora, Craft & Textiles, Kurling, and Book groups.** See website. Guests welcome at monthly meetings.

Dursley & Cam Society 01453 544771

www.dursleyglos.org.uk

Talks monthly on the second Tuesday, 7.30pm, in Dursley Methodist Church. Members £2; guests £3. All welcome. The Society's annual publication, **The Dursley Lantern**, is on sale at Dursley Heritage Centre. 10 March: **Men Behaving Badly. Social & Individual Discontent**, by Ian Mackintosh. 14 April: **Roberts Brothers of Gloucester, Games Makers to the Empire**, by Malcolm Watkins. 12 May: **Inns and Traffic of the Coaching Age**, by Nickolas Herbert.

Dursley Library, May Lane 01453 543059

Wednesdays, 10am - 12noon: **Knit and Natter.**

Look out for special events during school holidays.

Term time only: Thursdays, 10.30am: **Baby Bounce and Rhyme**, and

Tuesdays, 2pm: **Storytime** for pre-school children.

3.45pm: **Story telling & craft** for under-fives.

Computer Buddies: volunteers offer help with library computers.

Contact library for information. email: dursleylibrary@gloucestershire.gov.uk



Dursley Operatic & Dramatic Society 07890 203 318



Monday 4 - Saturday 9 May, 7.30pm: **Legally Blonde.** A fun and upbeat show packed with great tunes and lively dance routines. Follow the ups and downs of the inspirational Elle Woods as she battles with the Harvard Law School establishment to prove she is a worthy student and win back her ex-boyfriend Warner.

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FB @DodsOfficial Book on website: www.the-dods.com or telephone.

To join in, on stage or behind the scenes, email: info@the-dods.com

GL11 Community Hub, Fairmead, Cam 01453 548530 www.gl11.org.uk

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Drop in sessions include **Messy Mondays, Invisible Illness Group, GL11 Voices Choir, Stroke Support,**

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Kingshill Arts & Meeting Centre, GL11 4BZ 01453 549133

Regular clubs and groups: **Photogroup** on alternate Mondays; **Crafty Thursdays** weekly.

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FB: KingshillHouseArtsDursley email: admin@kingshillhouse.org.uk www.kingshillhouse.org.uk

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www.orianasingers.org

A chamber choir of 25 - 30 singers. New members always welcome, particularly tenors and basses.

Friday 10 April, 7pm: **Good Friday recital** at St Martin's Church, North Nibley.

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www.dbwps.org.uk

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Membership enquiries: 0800 4101525 or email: membership@dbwps.org.uk

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Thursdays 7.15 - 8.15pm, St. Dominic's Hall, GL11 4ES

U3A group, Tues 10 - 11am, St. Dominic's Hall. Mark Collins: 01453 544881 or 07981 805206.



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Wednesdays 10 - 11am, St James Church Hall, Dursley with Kelly.

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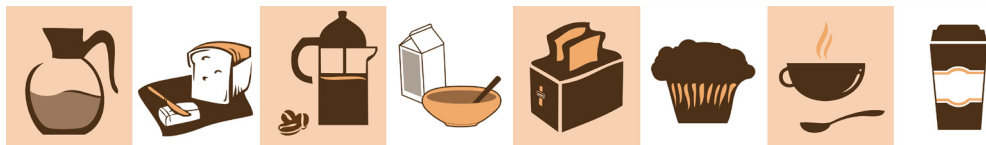
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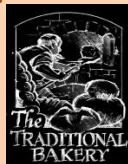
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